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Name of Guidance:

OBRA Guidance to Surveyors - LTC

Regulating Agency:

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Citation (Code of Federal Regulation):

CFR **483.20d**

Authority (Statute/Regulation):

F286

Description of Problem (Nature of Impact and on Whom):

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Proposed Solution :

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Estimate of Economic Impacts (Quantified Benefits and Costs if possible / Qualified description as needed):

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